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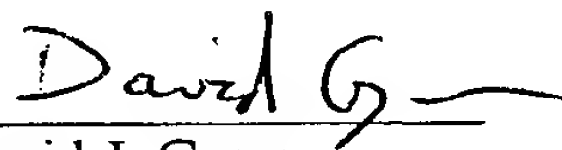
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Amend claims 20, 34, 37, 44 and 51 as follows:

20. The device of claim 1 wherein the cap support comprises a thickness greater than a height of the active component to form the cavity between the cover and the active component to prevent the cover from contacting the active component.

34. The method of claim 30 wherein the cap includes the cap support.

37. The method of claim 31 further comprises forming the cap support.

44. The method of claim 21 further comprises:
forming a first electrode layer over the substrate;
patterning the first electrode layer to form first electrodes of the OLED pixels.

51. The method of claim 30 further comprise forming the cap support.

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